

**Domestic Abuse - Cope Galway 24-hour confidential helpline 091 565 985.**

**Davitts GAA:** Presto Results: The numbers drawn were 16, 20, 29, 34. The Jackpot was not won. The following won €50 each: Caroline Boyle, Aoife Rushe, Pauline Roche, Amy Hopkins. There will be a Jackpot of €12,300 in Sunday night's draw.

**Happytots Irishtown, are now enrolling for September 2021.** Limited number of ECCE places available. Please contact Pauline on 087 20 22526.

**Irishtown N.S. are currently taking enrolments for Sept. `21.** Enrolment Forms are available on the school website [www.irishtownns.scoilnet.ie](http://www.irishtownns.scoilnet.ie)

**Ballindine N.S. are currently taking enrolments for Sept `21.** Enrolment Forms available from [ballindineinfo@gmail.com](mailto:ballindineinfo@gmail.com). Closing date **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> February, 21.**

**Mayo Stroke Support Group,** will hold a meeting virtually on **Thursday, February 25th from 11.30am – 1:00pm via Zoom.** The topic for this meeting will be '*Cognitive Issues following stroke.*' This free meeting is for stroke survivors and their partners, family members or carers. For further information and to receive the Zoom link and technical support, **please contact Croí on 091-544310.**

**Tuam Cancer Care will be running a FREE 6 week, Cancer Thriving & Surviving programme** via Zoom, from 4th March. For more info or to register please the Centre on 093 28522"

**Western Care's Virtual Valentine Candlelight Evening – live streamed via our Facebook page.**

**FREE Event** on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> Feb 8pm - 10.30pm. Music and chats with some much loved national and local guests including Daniel O'Donnell, Nathan Carter, Mike Denver, Sandy Kelly, Tommy Fleming, plus many more local artists. Please see our Facebook page for further details:

<https://www.facebook.com/westerncareassociation/> Organised on behalf of Western Care by the Valentine Candlelight Ball Committee. Raffle will run in conjunction on the night with some very generous prizes.

Thank you for your support.

CONSIDER TAKING THE **PIONEER SHORT-TERM PLEDGE FOR LENT?** FOR THE DURATION OF LENT, MANY PEOPLE CHOOSE TO ABSTAIN FROM ALCOHOL. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE THIS PLEDGE FOR SIX WEEKS, YOU CAN JOIN ONLINE AT [WWW.PIONEERASSOCIATION.IE](http://WWW.PIONEERASSOCIATION.IE)

#### **COVID-19 Support Line for Older People**

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling **0818 222 024.**

**SeniorLine is a confidential listening service for older people** provided by trained older volunteers. Whether you are feeling lonely, worried about something or just need a chat, give us a call. We are here to listen. FREEPHONE 1800 80 45 91. Lines are open every day 10am – 10pm

#### **Anniversaries:**

Anyone wishing to have their deceased loved ones remembered in the Parish Newsletter please forward your list with names and dates and they will be included annually in the newsletter.

**Bridget Martin, Michael Corr, James Cannon, Christy & Kitty Mannion, Noreen Scott, Bridget Walsh, Patrick Mullarkey, Christy Rattigan, John Egan, Michael Glynn, Peter Hunt, Margaret Mullarkey, James Heneghan, Mary Ann McCormack, Justine Dowd, Patrick Corr, Mary Kate Raftery, Michael Kirrane, William Aughwan.**

## Parish of Kilvine

Fr. Martin O'Connor P.P. 087-2401297

Ballindine 094-9364423 / Irishtown 094- 9386863

Email: [kilvineparish@gmail.com](mailto:kilvineparish@gmail.com)

[www.kilvineparish.ie](http://www.kilvineparish.ie) / [www.ballindineschool.ie](http://www.ballindineschool.ie) / [www.irishtownns.scoilnet.ie](http://www.irishtownns.scoilnet.ie)

13<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2021

### *Prayer to Saint Valentine*



O glorious advocate and protector, St. Valentine,

Look with pity upon our wants, hear our prayers,

relieve by your intercession the miseries under which we labour and obtain for us the divine blessing, that we may be found worthy to join you in praising the Almighty for all eternity: through the merits of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

*Amen.*

Share Catholic  
[www.ShareCatholic.com](http://www.ShareCatholic.com)

#### **Cluster Priests**

Fr. Gannon 086-2656563

Fr. Quinn 087-2685288

Fr. Conlisk 089-4298365

#### **Community Alert Text No`s:**

087-2452565; 087-1322411

086-8436958; 087-6528213

Claremorris Garda Station 094-9372080

## Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Notice in relation to Mass cancellations.

In line with Government announcement.

**“All Masses with congregations to be cancelled”**

Churches will remain open during normal times  
so the faithful can go there to pray.

These restrictions will remain in place until further notice.

### Mass Intentions for Weekends:

Because Mass cannot be celebrated in public in our Churches due to current restrictions, the Mass intentions for both churches will be combined and prayed for at Mass on-line @ [kilvineparish.ie](http://kilvineparish.ie) The intentions, as always, will be printed in our weekly newsletter. Please remember to pray for your loved ones the day the Mass is offered and if possible make a visit to one of our churches in their memory.

### Irishtown: Sat 13<sup>th</sup> Feb @ 8pm (On-Line ONLY)

John Joe McWalter (Month`s Mind),  
Eamon Kenny (11<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) and brothers Liam & Peter,  
John Austin & Mary Moran and daughter Christina,  
Breege Ryan,  
John Flanagan (35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary),  
Eddie, Mary & May Hayes.

### Ash Wednesday (Blessing of Ashes)

#### Ballindine: Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Feb @ 10.30am (On-Line & on Radio 105.3FM)

Deceased members of the Fagan and Hughes Family, Dublin,  
Luke & Muriel Rattigan,  
Jim & Noreen Scott,  
Kitty, Margaret & Jim McHugh.

#### Ballindine: Sat 20<sup>th</sup> Feb @ 8pm (On-Line & on Radio 105.3FM)

Seamus Gannon (Month`s Mind),  
Kathleen Griffin (First Anniversary),  
Willie & Mollie O`Toole and deceased of family,  
Ellie & Ned Forde and deceased of family,  
Kate & Patrick Rattigan,  
Paddy Rattigan,  
Mary Birmingham & deceased of family.

*Kilvine Parish Masses are on-line at [kilvineparish.ie](http://kilvineparish.ie)*

## Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February ([catholicbishops.ie](http://catholicbishops.ie))

### **Prayer for the Healing of Memories by Liam Lawton**

Lord, I cannot find the words that I should say,  
nor will I ever know the pain nor know the deep despair  
of souls who have been hurt for lack of love and care.  
This is a prayer, a plea, that you would come  
and gently heal the souls of all whose hearts still bleed.  
Heal the silent scream of those who cry  
through nights and years.  
The child who forever weeps and wakes in adult dreams.  
Heal the pain that never seems to fade,  
replace with love the guilt of endless shame.  
Hear the voice that longs to tell its tale,  
hear the words where integrity prevails,  
hear the truth where honesty has failed.  
Hear us now we call upon your name.  
Heal all hidden memories in the deepest painful place,  
suppressed through years of suffering.  
From memories, erase all thoughts of fear and failure  
with tears that wash each face.  
You Lord were stripped,  
bruised and beaten, unprotected,  
so vulnerable, derided, mocked, betrayed,  
and in the tomb where you were laid,  
we place the hurt, the hate, the wounds of history.

### Lent: Ash Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> February (A Day of Fast & Abstinence)

Mass on Wed 17<sup>th</sup> @ 10.30am (On-Line & Radio 105.3FM)

#### Blessing of Ashes

Sachets of Ashes will available for pick up  
at both Church Altars on Ash Wednesday  
from 11.30am – 8pm.



### A Message from Trócaire – Lent 2021

“As always, with your generosity, Trócaire continues to support some of the poorest people in the world to achieve change locally, while also campaigning to challenge the root causes and global rules that prevent people from living lives free from poverty, injustice, gender inequality and human rights abuses. Your continued support for this work is invaluable. You change lives and you save lives. Thank you for being with us on our journey for justice.”

### Thanks:

*Sincere thanks to all who have so generously continued to contribute to the Church and Priest`s Collections since last March. Many thanks. Your continued support is very much appreciated.*

For anyone who wishes to pay on-line the A/C is  
**Kilvine Parish, Sort Code 903760, A/C 75748363.**  
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### CHURCH SANITISERS

#### Wk beginning

Sun 14<sup>th</sup> Feb

Ballindine: Flor, Paula, Margaret, Carmel

Irishtown: Sarah, Ann Marie

Mid week Ballindine: Patricia, Alacque, Lucy

Irishtown: Cathy, Camilla

**Baptism:** We welcome into the Christian Community **Ryan Jarlath Killeen**, baptised in Ballindine Church and congratulate his parents Deirdre (Devane) and Nigel, Hollymount.

**PLEASE PICK UP YOUR TROCAIRE BOX FROM THE CHURCH PORCH**